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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to an election/restriction requirement mailed March 2, 2006, Applicant provisionally elects, with traverse, Group I, which is drawn to methods of treating fibromyalgia. Applicant also provisionally elects, with traverse, a compound of Formula 1 in which R, R¹, R², R⁴, and R⁶-R⁸ are each hydrogen, and R³ and R⁵ are each (C₁-C₆)alkyl, such as (3S,4S)-(1-aminomethyl-3,4-dimethyl-cyclopentyl)-acetic acid. At least claims 1, 2, 7-9 and 10-12 read on the elected group and species. Applicant's remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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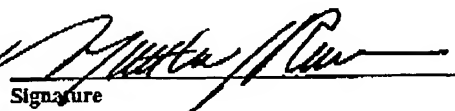
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